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In re Application of: Mitchell

Application No. Filed:

09/424,51

For:

March 3, 2000 TRADENARY "NITROXIDE OR A PRODRUG THEREOF IN THE PROPHYLACTIC AND

THERAPEUTIC TREATMENT OF CANCER

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

- ☐ Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
- Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.
- 5 literature articles (Samuni et al., J. Biol. Chem., 263(34): 17921-1724 (1988); Mitchell et al., Biochemistry, 29(11): 2802 (1990); Krishna et al., Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. U.S.A., 89(12): 5537-5541 (1992); Krishna et al., J. Biol. Chem., 271(42): 26026-26031 (1996); and Krishna et al., J. Med. Chem., 41(18): 3477-3492 (1998)) and Return Postcard.
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					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
TIME EXTENSION PETITION FEE			none		\$ 0.00		\$ 0.00	
			none	none		(\$ 0.00)		(\$ 0.00)
CLAIM FEE	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADD'L CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADD'L CLAIM FEE
TOTAL	40	MINUS	42	= 0	x 9=	\$	x 18=	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	3	MINUS	3	= 0	x 43=	\$	x 86=	\$0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM					+ 145=	\$	+ 290=	\$
TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE CHARGED TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT					TOTAL	\$	TOTAL	\$0.00

- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1216.
 - Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
 - Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2004, please consider the following remarks.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.8

I hereby certify that this Response to Office Action and all accompanying documents are, on the date indicated below, being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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August 19, 2004